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Sir:

In response to the final rejection in the Office Action dated September 2, 2005, please enter the following in the above-identified application:

There are no Amendments to the Specification made in this paper.

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